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GOV. MCCREARY UP BIG SANDY.

Made Brief Speech at Louisa From the Train Thursday.

Gov. James B. McCreary spoke in Louisa Thursday morning of this week from the rear platform of the regular train. 300 or more persons were out to hear him. He was on his way to Prestonsburg and Pikeville, and it became known here on Wednesday that he would pass through on the eight o'clock train. Louisa friends wired a request to him to speak from the train, and he cheerfully consented. Only about ten minutes time was given by the train, but he improved the time very appropriately and made a pleasing address. The crowd applauded him frequently. He was introduced by Hon. James Q. Lackey, who was a member of the Legislature when McCreary was Governor the first time.

Many ladies were present and Mrs. G. W. Wroten and Mrs. Augustus Snyder presented the Governor with bouquets of handsome roses.

The Governor expressed his regret at not being able to include Louisa in his regular speaking dates, but lack of time on account of his duties at Frankfort has made this impossible.

The Governor's vigor and activity surprised those who had never before seen him. There were quite a number of people out to greet him at various stations along the route through Lawrence county, wherever the people had heard that he was to pass through. He shook hands with many persons at these places.

The Governor spoke to a large crowd at Prestonsburg Thursday afternoon. He will speak at Pikeville Friday, at Jenkins Saturday and at Whitesburg Monday. From there he will return to Frankfort via the L & N.

The Governor's fair, conservative course, and his great strength for the November campaign is winning votes by the hundreds and thousands. The battle the other two men are making means death to both of them and the rank and file of the party realize it.

EXCELLENT FRUIT BY SCIENTIFIC METHODS.

Mr. J. B. McClure, of this vicinity, has shown by his work what intelligent labor, backed and assisted by pluck and patience, will do, with a few acres of hillside land as a laboratory and workshop.

About seven years ago he moved onto a farm of this description, located a couple of miles from Louisa. It was a typical "hillside" farm, lots of hill and plenty of side. It had been worked after the fashion of the day, with but little attention to soil fitness or rotation of crops, and with still less regard to fertilizers. The native soil was very thin, with no attempt to replace or hold it. Mr. McClure had studied agriculture, and had learned farming experimentally and by practice. He saw the possibilities of his place and set about making the best possible use of it. He set out peach, apple, cherry and plum trees. He didn't wait until the "sign" or the moon was "right," but he plowed and harrowed and hoed and raked, and when the ground was right he put in the seed. He did this year after year, sowing, planting and reaping, and this year, this season of drought, he has a showing on his hillside farm of which any man might well be proud. He has studied soils and grasses and fertilizers and legumes and cover crops until his "book learnin'" and his well directed labor have made him one of the foremost farmers in point of intelligence in the country. Most of his vegetables have withstood the hot, dry weather well, and his peaches, apples and plums are very fine.

Mr. McClure has simply done what any farmer of like industry and intelligence can do, but similar results are difficult, if not impossible, to obtain by the obsolete, slipshod methods which still obtain in some parts of the country.

CONLEY'S STORE SOLD.

Ora C. Atkins and John Vaughan have purchased Conley's Jewelry and stationery store. They took charge yesterday morning and will continue the business along the same lines that have been used nearly 23 years by their predecessor. Mr. Atkins had considerable experience in merchandising several years ago. Mr. Vaughan is a graduate watchmaker who has been working at the trade in Huntington for a year or more, where his work has given satisfaction. These are reliable gentlemen and we predict for them a liberal patronage.

CAMDEN PRESIDES OVER SENATE

Another Senate precedent has been shattered. It was broken when Senator Camden was selected by Vice President Marshall to serve as Acting Vice President pro tempore of the United States Senate. This is said to be the first instance of a newly-appointed Senator being chosen to preside over that body even for a few moments. Senator Camden presided for three hours.

PROMINENT LADY DEAD.

Mrs. Holland F. Mackney, wife of one of the most prominent merchants in this section of the country, died at her home at Mount Card, Ky., of tuberculosis, Tuesday.

REV. F. F. SHANNON
AT BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the Baptist Church on Sunday night last the Rev. F. F. Shannon preached another of those wonderful sermons of his to an audience which filled every part of the building. He based his discourse on these words of the Psalmist: "I shall be satisfied when I awake with His likeness." From the exordium to the conclusion it was a flawless sermon, perfect in conception and thought, encouraging and helpful, sound in doctrine, and full of true Christian faith. While it was a sermon that would read well it would require its gifted author to deliver it so that it would be appreciated.

Mr. Shannon certainly has been good to his former fellow citizens, in that he has taken so much of his vacation to prepare and deliver so many sermons for their pleasure and benefit.

UNION BIBLE CLASS.

Just now Prof. Kennison's Union Bible Class, taught at the M. E. Church South every Thursday at 7:30 p. m., is having more than usually interesting meetings. The general subject is Jesus in the Old Testament. The several phases of the comprehensive topic are ably discussed by the very able instructor, and those who fail to attend miss a great deal of what is both useful and interesting.

On the 10th Inst., in Louisa, he married Morton Wheeler, 21, of Blaine, to Amanda Green, 16.

These were followed on July 19th by Hannah Fletcher, 19, and Fred Davis, aged 40.

The latest to stand before the popular parson were Lydia Williamson, aged 61, and Jasper Meek, aged 56.

In the dual capacity of clerk and minister our friend is following the injunction to make Hay while the sun shines.

SIX WEDDINGS WITHIN THE WEEK.

ACTIVE WEEK IN THE MATRIMONIAL MARKET OF THIS VICINITY.

SADA SEE MARRIED.

The summer sun never shone on a prettier wedding than the one solemnized at the home of Mrs. L. See, at Kermit, W. Va., Wednesday, July 15th, at two o'clock, when her daughter Sada was united in marriage to Mr. A. W. Goode, of Roanoke, Va.

Promised at the appointed hour the young couple marched into the room filled with expectant and admiring guests.

The bride was beautifully arrayed in white messaline, with bride's roses artistically arranged 'round the stylish panner while a wreath of the same adorned her auburn hair. The groom wore the conventional black.

After a dainty luncheon the happy couple were borne away amid much merriment and showers of rice on train No. 18 to Virginia where they will visit the groom's parents. They will visit also Norfolk and other points of the East.

The bride is the lovely and talented little girl who carried away first grand prize for landscape sketching at the Lawrence county school fair held at Louisa. The groom is a prosperous and energetic young business man, and comes from Virginia's best.

The Rev. Ellison, of Williamson, W. Va., officiated.

May there be laid up for them a

crowd of happiness for many, many years to come is the wish of

KERMIT FRIENDS.

WILSON-BURKE.

On Friday evening, July 17th, at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Walter Carr, on the Point, Miss Neva Wilson, of this city, was married to Harry Burke, of Louisa, the Rev. G. M. Copley officiating. Mrs. Burke is a most estimable young woman, intelligent and of pleasing manner.

For three years past she was an efficient member of the corps of nurses in the King's Daughters' hospital, Ashland.

She is popular and highly respected.

The groom is a sober, industrious young man, of good habits. He is a fireman on the N. & W. railway, running from Columbus to Williamson.

The wedding came as a surprise to their relatives and friends.

WERE MARRIED AT CORDELL.

On Saturday last Miss Carrie Swetnam, of Wilbur, and Charley Carey, of this city, were married at CordeLL, this county. They came at once to Louisa to the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Carey. On Sunday morning they left for Lexington, where Mr. Carey, who is an excellent mechanic, has employment.

The bride is a very attractive and intelligent young woman, the youngest daughter of Mr. Milt Swetnam one of the best known and highly respected citizens of the county.

TERRIBLY CUT.

Early on last Friday morning Dr. A. W. Bromley, N. & W. surgeon, was sent to attend John Majekoff, whose home is in Wheeling, W. Va.

The man was on a coal train, hobbling, and had been attacked and terribly cut and stabbed by two unknown men.

The man was suffering from cuts received as follows: Four cuts on face, two on back of neck three inches long, ten

stabbed wounds in the back, one cut on back four inches long and very deep.

Dr. Bromley gave him first aid and had him taken to the N. & W. hospital in Portsmouth.

The object of the would-be murderers was evidently robbery, and finding nothing on the man's person they became enraged and tried to kill him.

Majekoff was asleep when the ruffians attacked him.

TAYLOR JOHNS CRITICALLY ILL.

Word has been received by relatives in Louisville that Taylor Johns, paymaster on a United States battleship in Philippine waters, has left on transport for San Francisco. He is critically ill, but hoped to live long enough to reach San Francisco before he dies. Wallace Johns, of Columbus, desires that his brother Henry, of this city, start at once for San Francisco, but Henry thinks his brother will die before he, Henry, can get there.

Mrs. M. A. Elkins, of Ashland, Mrs.

W. B. Frasher and daughter, Alta Morris, of Holden, W. Va., Miss Goldie Byington, Carter of Yatesville, and Ray Hartley, of Parkersburg, W. Va., were recent guests of H. J. Chaffin and family.

METHODISTS AWARDED NEW UNIVERSITY TO ATLANTA.

Atlanta, Ga., July 16.—Atlanta was selected as the seat of the university to be established east of the Mississippi river by the Methodist Episcopal Church South, at a meeting here today of the Education Committee appointed by the General Conference of the Church to choose a location for the proposed institution, Birmingham, Ala., and Henderson, N. C., were strong contenders for the university. The vote selecting Atlanta was announced as 12 to 2.

Announcements by Bishop Warren A. Candler, chairman of the commission, that Atlanta had been selected, was immediately followed by official confirmation of the report that \$1,000,000 had been given to the new university by Asa G. Candler, of this city, a brother of Bishop Candler.

It was stated on reliable authority today that the university as contemplated will represent an investment of \$6,000,000. It is expected that work on the buildings will be started before next winter.

The commission tonight announced the following appointments for the new university:

Trustees—Bishop Warren A. Candler, Atlanta, chairman; Asa G. Candler, Atlanta; W. G. N. Thomas, Chattanooga, Tenn.

Executive Committee—Bishop Warren A. Candler, Atlanta, chairman; Asa G. Candler, Atlanta; Bishop J. C. Kilgore, Durham, N. C.; W. D. Thompson, Atlanta, and T. G. Flugh, Nashville, Tenn.

It is explained that the trustees were temporary appointments and were selected so that they might proceed with the university to take over property for the university and receive contributions.

PRICE OF CATTLE TO REMAIN HIGH.

LARGE PACKER SAYS IMPORTED FROZEN BEEF IS UNPROFITABLE.

Chicago, Ill., July 21.—Joseph M. Cudahy, Vice President of the Cudahy Packing Company, in commenting upon the fact that his concern is losing money on importations of frozen beef from Argentina and Australia, said today:

"We cannot account for it, but the fact remains that the United States field has proven a sad disappointment in the financial condition or effects the solvency or financial standing of any Bank, Savings Bank or Trust Company doing business in this State, or who shall counsel, aid, procure or induce another to start, transmit or circulate any such statement or rumor, shall be fined not less than two hundred nor more than one thousand dollars or confined in the county jail not less than twenty nor more than one hundred days, or both fine and imprisonment for any such statement or rumor, shall be fined not less than one day or more than thirty days, either so fined or imprisoned or both in the discretion of the court or both in the discretion of the court or the jury trying the case, and if the amount of such check or draft be twenty dollars, and upon conviction thereof be not exceeding one hundred dollars, or confined in the county jail not less than one day or more than thirty days, 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NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST FROM THE WORLD AT LARGE.

THURSDAY.

Provisional President Huerta presented his resignation to the Chamber of Deputies yesterday afternoon and at 7:20 p.m. Francisco Cabral took the oath of office as President of Mexico. The new executive, escorted by presidential guards, went immediately to the National Palace. Huerta and Blanquet last night boarded a train outside Mexico City, presumably bound for Puerto Mexico.

Both sides claim to have sufficient strength to win the fight in the Senate over the confirmation of Thomas D. Jones as a member of the Reserve Board. The testimony before the committee was made public yesterday and shows the connection of Mr. Jones with the Harvester Trust.

Again no progress was made in the Senate toward completing the Administration bills, the Interstate Commerce Committee failing to meet, while Senators Hollis and Reed engaged in a spirited tilt over the Trade Bill. The measure was attacked by Senator Borah.

Finding a "joker" in the District of Columbia Appropriation Bill, which the House and Senate had passed, Representative Johnson yesterday prevented the President's signature in time to get a corrected resolution through the House.

West Virginia authorities are seeking to bring Lawrence Robinson and Joseph Duddy, held in connection with a murder in Boston, back to Huntington, where they are thought to have robbed a jewelry store.

Copious rains have fallen in various parts of Kentucky to the great advantage of the growing corn. The downfall in Fayette county was almost in the nature of a cloudburst.

FRIDAY.

Fighting and bloodshed are over in Mexico, if the peace announced by Gen. Carranza go into effect. Gen. Carranza declared that his main object now would be to conduct negotiations for the Constitutionalists to enter Mexico City and establish their government without disorder, but that the surrender must be unconditional. The families of Gen. Huerta and Gen. Blanquet went aboard a British cruiser at Puerto Mexico, and expect to be joined by the former President and former Minister of War this morning. Francisco Cabral, new Provisional President, informed the United States that he intended to retire in favor of Carranza.

A cyclone which struck Henderson late yesterday afternoon resulted in two deaths, serious injuries to a number of persons, and a property loss es-

timated at from \$150,000 to \$200,000. The town was left in darkness, and many houses were blown down. Mrs. William Suell and nephew were buried beneath the ruins of their home.

Commissioner of Agriculture Newman has arranged for the use of two limestone crushers for the benefit of the farmers of Kentucky in demonstrating the value of ground limestone for fertilizing purposes.

Atlanta has been chosen as the site of the new university of the Methodist Episcopal Church South to take the place of Vanderbilt. A gift of \$1,000,000 has already been made to the institution.

By a vote of 5 to 2 a Georgia State Senate Committee killed the bill granting women the right to vote. Similar action had previously been taken by the House.

The State school per capita for 1914-15 will be \$4.50, the highest in the history of Kentucky, according to Supt. Hamlett.

William J. Bryan, in a statement given out last night, declares himself for woman suffrage.

SATURDAY.

The House referred to the Court of Claims several hundred war claims providing for relief of Kentuckians,

the largest batch providing for sums or from \$300 to \$2,000 to several thousand volunteers who served in the Kentucky militia during the war.

Senate committee took another firm grip on the Administration legislative pro-

gramme and made some progress on the Securities, Clayton and Trade Commission Bills. Senate Democrats who favor confirmation of Thomas D. Jones, of Chicago, as a member of the Federal Reserve Board, telegraphed Mr. Jones urging him to answer the report of the majority.

Every influence and diplomatic agency at the disposal of the United States Government has been put to work for immediate peace in Mexico.

The Commissioners dispatched by Cabral to Carranza are said to be Constitutionalists, and Carranza is said to look with favor upon the plan for peaceful entry into the capital.

Commissioner of Prohibition Blue

has warned all the prosecuting attorneys in West Virginia to make every effort to apprehend men or firms so-

licensing liquor orders in the State.

A granite monument to the unknown Union soldiers buried in Cave Hill will be dedicated at the cemetery Saturday, July 25.

SUNDAY.

Although no agreement exists a virtual armistice has been declared by all factions in Mexico. Provisional President Cabral has announced that all cities near which rebel forces are concentrated will be evacuated by the Federals. The commission which

is to discuss peace terms with Car-

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Commissioner of Agriculture Newman has suggested that the farmers of Kentucky make haste to repair the shortage in the hay crop by sowing some reasonable catch crop as cowpeas, sorghum or millet.

The 2½ cent passenger rate law enacted by the last General Assembly of Kentucky was declared unconstitutional by Judge Gregory yesterday because of the omission of the enacting clause.

President Wilson through Secretary Bryan yesterday asked the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to ratify the twenty recently signed peace treaties as soon as they are presented to the Senate.

Two investigations of conditions in Chicago's old segregated district, supposed to have been closed, have been begun as the result of the shooting scrape between two squads of detectives recently.

That over 2,000,000,000 native field birds inhabit the States east of the Great Plains section is the announcement made by the Department of Agriculture as the result of the first bird census.

President Bordas, of the Dominican Republic, has lost his grip on the situation in the island, and the Southern rebels besieging the capital are in a position to make their own terms.

It is feared the rescue of the Steffanson Arctic exploring party cannot be accomplished until late this summer. The rescue steamer is tied up 120 miles away from the party.

Fire which broke out yesterday on the steamer Massachusetts while she was in New York harbor with 300 passengers on board was extinguished by the city fire department.

After two weeks of work the Anti-trust Bills in the Senate are no nearer completion than they were at the beginning, and several of them are still in committee.

The sixth case of bubonic plague developed at New Orleans. A protest was made by Pensacola against a proposed excursion to that city.

MONDAY.

Members of Congress are losing hope of early adjournment and some expect the present session to last until December. At least six weeks of discussion on the trust bills is expected in the Senate, and the hitch on confirmation of two members of the Federal Reserve Board is expected to cause further delay. There still remains the probability, it is stated, that the three anti-trust bills will be consolidated. In the House this week the Adamson General Dam Bill is expected to over-shadow other matters.

Although final arrangements have been completed for the conference to-day between Attorney General McReynolds and a committee of New Haven directors, officials of the Department of Justice are still at a loss to understand what plan the New Haven can offer that will obviate the need of an anti-trust suit to dissolve the road.

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Two steamers, two large schooners and a barkentine were wrecked on the Nova Scotia coast in a violent storm, which did much damage, but resulted in no loss of life.

Extermination of the old South Side segregated district in Chicago is to be effected by the Health and Building Departments.

A long dispute over a line fence culminated in a shooting affray at Allendale, W. Va., in which three men were killed and another wounded.

One man was killed and another injured when a C. & O. passenger train crashed into a wagon at Mt. Sterling.

Finding of the seventh case of bubonic plague at New Orleans was announced by the health authorities.

TUESDAY.

Gen. Huerta and family sailed on the German cruiser Dresden for Jamaica yesterday. Gen. Carranza informed the United States Government that he is ready to declare a suspension of hostilities pending negotiations with representatives of Huerta's successor for the transfer of authority of Mexico City to the Constitutionalists.

Alleging that in 1811 earthquakes changed the course of the Mississippi River, hurling out Reelfoot Lake, testimony was begun at Memphis to determine the ownership of more than 100,000 acres of land.

That the Hepburn Rate Law be made applicable to all commodities carried by railroads was the recommendation yesterday of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

"Government funds to move crops and help every kind of legitimate business will be deposited in Kentucky," Secretary McAdoo yesterday told Senator Camden.

Hundreds of boys were sent to college by Mrs. Mary Stockwell, who died in Evansville, Indiana, developed after her death. She was a lineal descendant of Patrick Henry.

Twenty-four alleged bootleggers taken from Madisonville to Hopkinsville last week in one batch were bound over to the Federal grand jury yesterday.

**THE HOME CIRCLE
AND ITS INTERESTS.**

**Column Dedicated to Tired
Mothers as They Join
The Home Circle at
Evening Tide.**

No home is quite complete where everything for its comfort and cheer has been done without the presence in it which redeems the too sordid pursuit of present opportunities by the tender touch of the things of the past.

"What is home without a mother?" the street ballad has it, but just as true and forcible a phrase would be, "What is home without a grandmother?" Whether it is the brisk and hustling grandmother, whose years set lightly and who is more useful than any brownie in the home, or the dear old saint whose work is done and who can only sit with folded hands and show us how near heaven is to earth, it is

the habit of treating those who are nearest and dearest to us with discourtesy, is one that clouds the sunshine of too many homes.

If you are young and looking for your prince, just test his home conduct. Do not be guided in your choice by what a young man is in the parlor; find out what he is in his mother's sitting room. Do not judge him by the way he can tip his hat, but by the way he treats the old, especially his parents.

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The father and mother ought to be numbered with the boys and girls in every holiday and frolic as well as in every responsibility.

If religion has done nothing for your temper it has done nothing for your soul.

YATESVILLE.

School began here Monday, Miss Jose Rice teacher.

This R is for You!

If You Suffer From Hot flashes or dizziness, fainting spells, hysteria, headache, bearing down pains, nervousness—all are symptoms of irregularity and female disturbances and are not beyond relief.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

is directed to the real cause and promptly removes the disease, eases the pains and nervous symptoms and thereby brings comfort in the place of prolonged misery.

It has been sold by druggists for over 40 years, in fluid form, at \$1.00 per bottle, giving general satisfaction. It can now be had in sugar coated tablet form, as modified by R. V. Pierce, M. D., Sold by all medicine dealers or in trial box by mail on receipt of 50¢ in stamp.

Every sick woman may consult us by letter, absolutely without charge.

Write without fear as we take no fees, to Dr. R. V. PIERCE, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, New York.

DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT PELLETS REGULATE THE LIVER

FALLSBURG AND POTTER.

The festival at Fallsburg was largely attended and all reported a nice time.

Miss Deva Rice is visiting relatives on Blaine this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heberlin, of Rochester, Pa., are visiting friends and relatives here.

Misses Oneta Austin and Lima Adkins were business callers at Potter Monday.

Miss Shirley Hensley has gone to Clifford, where she will teach school. Carson Elswick was calling on Pluma Collingsworth recently.

Miss Mattie Cooksey is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John H. Cooksey, of Van Leer.

Miss Effie Moore, of Louisa, is visiting home folks.

Bertha Skeens, Fanny and May Austin, Grover Daniel and Jamie Cains took a boat ride Saturday evening and went to Zelma for the ball game.

Grover Daniel was calling on Bessie Collingsworth recently.

Misses Oneta and Minnie Austin were at Fallsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Thompson, of Catlettsburg, is visiting relatives here.

A large crowd from Potter and Horseford attended the festival at Fallsburg Saturday night.

Misses Nellie and Fanny Austin entertained quite a number of young folks Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Collingsworth was in Louisa Thursday and Friday.

Sam and Frank Kenster, of Fort Gay, W. Va., were at Fallsburg Saturday evening.

Miss Bertha Wootten, of Newcomb, was visiting at Fallsburg recently.

Miss Cora Austin, of Yatesville, was visiting relatives at this lace Sunday.

Frank Adkins and Claude Hays, of Potter, played ball at Zelma Saturday. Claude Hays is a frequent visitor at Zelma.

Miss Blanche Honley was at Potter Saturday.

Ber Cooksey has gone to Wayland. Jerry Crank was visiting home folks Saturday and Sunday.

School began Monday at this place, Sammie Diamond teacher. Also at Hulette Branch with Junia Adkins as teacher.

PUMPKIN ANN.

RICHARDSON.

Rev. F. R. Rice filled his usual appointment at this place Saturday and Sunday, delivering some very interesting sermons.

Our Sunday School is moving along nicely with very good attendance.

A. T. Wilbur, who has been suffering with rheumatism for some time, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. McClelland Warnick and family, of Ashland, are visiting home folks at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Layne and little son are visiting Mrs. Layne's mother this week.

Miss Maggie Wilson passed through here Saturday en route to Peach Orchard where she began school Monday.

Mrs. G. C. Shepherd is on the sick list.

Miss Reba Wolford, of Leon, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Shepherd.

J. H. Preston is erecting a beautiful residence.

Mrs. G. R. Lewis, of Louisa, Mrs. Frank Matney, of Patrick, and Misses Gusse Preston and Hermie Weller were calling on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cassell are spending a few days with home folks.

The young ladies of this place will give an ice cream social at the school house on Saturday night, Aug. 1st. We cordially invite every one. A good time is expected and the proceeds are to be used for a benevolent purpose.

TWO GIRLS.

BUCHANAN.

Children's Day was observed here June 28th. A fine program was furnished for the occasion, and the children recited their parts remarkably well. Much praise is due Mrs. York, Mrs. McSorley and the young ladies for their energy in making this delightful affair.

The C. & O. bridge force is expected here this week to complete work on the bridge.

Mrs. Butler Davis, of Prichard, and her guest, Miss Martin, of Ashland, came over and called on friends last Sunday.

Miss Belvia Kirk, of Ironton, has been the guest of friends and relatives here. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Miss Jennie Cartmel.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Cooksey and little daughter, Jannie Marie, and Miss Hattie Cooksey came down from Zelma Sunday and attended the Children's Day exercises.

A crowd of young folks spent Sunday at Clydeside. School began here July 20th, with

Jay Compton teacher.

Miss Pearl Compton was the weekend guest of Miss Marie Holt, of Walbridge.

Urie Miller came down from Adele Sunday and met his sister, Mrs. George Queen, of Wellston, O., who expects to remain for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Chadwick have purchased an automobile.

It. D. McDonnell called on Miss Esther Hobson Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Lambert and little son Albert spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lambert, of Rose Creek.

Mr. F. T. D. Wallace, Jr., daughter and son, of Louisa, are visiting parents here.

Miss Nancy O'Daniel was initiated into the Rebekah Lodge here Saturday.

J. F. Hatten and Joe Compton are in Cincinnati this week transacting business.

Miss Elizabeth Wright, of Catlettsburg, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Warren.

Several of the young folks enjoyed the Sunday afternoon rewing.

Miss Golda Bellomy and Pearl Compton went to institute last week.

Miss Lewis Berry enjoyed the day Sunday with Mrs. Frankie Cartmel.

Mr. Ira Jesse is over from Prichard the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Bromfield.

Alex Hobson, who has employment at Clydeside, is spending his vacation at home.

Lewis Bennett went to Louisa last week.

John West, of Wilton, Ky., was here last week, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Joe Compton.

A Baptist preacher from Johnson county delivered a splendid sermon at the school building here Sunday and was listened to by a large audience.

After the sermon the crowd went a distance up the creek and saw Mrs. Jackson baptized.

Roy Campbell, who has employment at Clydeside, spent Sunday at home.

X. X.

Stops Neuralgia—Kills Pain.

Sloan's Liniment gives instant relief from Neuralgia or Sciatica. It goes straight to the painful part—Soothes the Nerves and Stops the Pain. It is also good for Rheumatism, Sore Throat, Chort Pains and Sprains. You don't need to rub—it penetrates. Mr. J. R. Swinger, Louisville, Ky., writes: "I suffered with quite a severe Neuralgic Headache for four months without any relief. I used Sloan's Liniment for two or three nights and I haven't suffered with my head since." Get a bottle today. Keep in the house all the time for pains and all hurts. 25c, 50c and \$1 for your Druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for all Sores.

PRINCESS.

Mrs. Julia McDowell, 92 years old, died Friday of last week at the home of her grandson, Chas. Adkins. She had lived an exemplary life, loved by all who knew her. She was well known in Western Lawrence county, where she had many relatives.

Marion and Henry Lyons, whose deaths were mentioned in the NEWS of last week, lived here, and were brought here from the place where they met death. Both were buried in the same grave. Funeral rites performed by Rev. C. H. Spaulding.

Rev. Phillips, of the Baptist faith,

filled the pulpit here last Sunday and during the day service, Henry Gullet was ordained deacon, and three persons joined the church. The baptismal rites will be performed at the next regular monthly service.

All the public schools in this county opened last Monday and so far perfect condition prevails.

Misses Diskle, Fields and Dearborn were the guests from Catlettsburg of Miss Martha Sturgill Saturday and Sunday.

J. W. Hackworth and family, of Ashland, were guests of Mrs. G. B. Carter Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. V. Bartels returned from Nelsonville, O., last Tuesday, where she had gone to witness the marriage of her only son Charley, to Miss Ruby Spencer. Mrs. Bartels was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Margarette, who has just finished a three-year course of study in the celebrated academy at Springfield, Ill.

George and Billie Gray, Charley Meade and Norman Gullett, together with Tom Runyon, all of Ashland, were among friends and relatives here last Sunday.

Clyde C. Carter, of Grahn, came home Sunday for a few hours with home folks.

Rev. J. D. Coburn after a brief pastorate here moved to Anchor, Ky., where he was given a better opportunity to extend his work.

Harry Thompson, who was hit by a passing train and thought to be mortally wounded, is improving and on the high road to speedy recovery.

HUCKSKIN BESS.

Several from this place attended the burial of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carter at Little Blaine Sunday evening.

Miss Bassie Bradley spent Sunday evening with Miss Dollie May.

Bud Taylor, of Deephole, passed through here Wednesday with a fine drove of sheep.

Miss Hazel Marcus, of Warfield, is

visiting her cousin, Miss Dora Johns, Miss Flossie Spillman, of Twin Branch, spent Wednesday and Thursday with W. M. Berry and family. T. H. Burchett and son Carl, of Deep Hole, were here Wednesday.

John Nelson was a business visitor nt Ellen Monday.

Lon Hulette, of Brushy, was here Friday.

Alex Walden, of Dry Ridge, was here recently.

Miss Gee Hutchison visited friends at Evergreen Sunday evening.

Don May attended the pie mite at Dry Ridge Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Ferrill visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pigg Saturday.

Miss Inez Wellman visited her aunt, Mrs. Eunice Nelson, Friday.

Arlie Derefield, of Morgan Creek, is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. A. Haws.

Several young folks from here attended the festival at Twin Branch Saturday night.

Little Olynn Chapman is very sick.

Mrs. R. T. Berry was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. M. Nelson spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. W. V. Chapman.

School opened here Monday with Miss Bess Bradley teacher.

NOBODY'S DARLING.

TUSCOLA.

Everything growing fine since the rain.

Mrs. Cora Atkins gradually grows weaker.

Miss Hoss Patrick, who has been confined to her bed for several months, is convalescing.

The stork visited Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Woods Saturday and left them a fine girl.

Mr. Howard Hall is still quite sick.

Dr. C. C. Wheeler, of Osie, was here Saturday.

Misses Hermal and Thelma Taylor, of Mattie, W. Va., are visiting friends and relatives here.

Misses Virgie Jordan and Hermie Taylor attended church at Glenwood Sunday.

J. K. Woods and daughter, Miss Lizzie, attended the county Sunday School convention last week.

Sherman Mullins was thrown from a horse Sunday and badly hurt.

Dick Hall and Harmon Mullins went to Jenkins last week in search of work.

OLD LEM JACKLINS.

SMOKY VALLEY.

There will be church here next Sunday morning after Sunday School, by Rev. M. A. Hay.

School began here Monday by Bazz, Wellman teacher.

Rob. Roberts, of Ashland, visited home folks Saturday night.

John Stuncy still makes his regular trips to J. W. Bradley's.

Miss Virginia Roberts called on her cousin Thursday.

Misses Ida Muney and Irene Pickrell called at Milt Diamond's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hays called on his sister, Mrs. Joe Cyrus, Sunday.

J. W. Bradley was calling on Miss Willie Muney Sunday afternoon.

Mont Jackson, children, of Ashland, are visiting their aunt.

JUMBO JIM.

LEDOCIO.

Miss Estelle Miller was kicked in the face by a horse Saturday, which made some very ugly gashes. She was able to go to her school Monday.

Several of the boys and girls from this place have been attending church on Hlevin Branch the past week.

Miss Cathie E. Miller was visiting Liek Creek friends Saturday.

Jay Thompson, of Blevin Branch, has moved into our neighborhood.

Misses Benah and Elva Miller attended church at Blevin Sunday.

Rev. Geo. Adams, of Paintsville, passed through here Sunday.

W. M. and Clarence Hale, of Little Blaine, attended Sunday School here Sunday.

H. S. Miller is at Blevin this week attending the meeting conducted by Prof. Frank T. Miller, of Richmond, W. Va.

Mrs. Nannie Back was visiting Mrs. Lizzie Moore Sunday.

Oscar Short is very sick.

Little Blaine ball team played the Dry Ridge boys Saturday. Score 13 to 11 in favor of Blaine.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce JOHN M. WAUGH as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of the 32nd Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the primary of August, 1915.

We are authorized to announce H. C. SULLIVAN, of Lawrence county, as a candidate for the nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney for the 32nd Judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

G. W. CASTLE FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY. G. W. Castle, of Lawrence county, announces his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney for the 32nd Judicial District, primary election in August 1915, earnestly requesting the support of all Democrats of the district.

We are authorized to announce W. D. O'NEAL, JR., as a candidate for the nomination for Circuit Judge of the 22nd Judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

CONGRESSMAN W. J. FIELDS is a candidate for re-election, and respectfully asks for the votes of all Democrats of the Ninth Congressional district at the primary to be held August 1, 1914.

We are authorized to announce HON. J. ROE YOUNG, of Mason county, as a candidate for Congress from the Ninth District, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary on August 1st, 1914.

We are authorized to announce J. P. HANEY, of Morgan County, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress, Ninth district, primary August 1, 1914.

Nominate McCreary for Senator and the battle in November will be easy and sure.

Gov. McCreary is the only candidate for the full term who will not have to fight strong factions in his own party in November. Therefore he is the only one who is certain to win in November.

Each voter in the primary on Saturday, August 1st, will have the right to stamp an X opposite three names on the ballot—for a Senator full term, for a Senator short term, for a Congressman.

The United States, through its congressional representatives, appealed to Gen. Villa and Gen. Carranza, in the name of patriotism and peace, to effect a settlement of their personal differences.

Even if you have a preference for a certain candidate, it is no kindness to him to help nominate him if he will probably be defeated. In November, such a defeat would end his political career. It would be better for him to lose in the primary.

Before deciding to enter the race for United States Senator, Gov. McCreary wrote a letter to John C. C. Mayo, urging him to make the race for the Senate. He pledged his unqualified support to Mr. Mayo, but the latter declined to become a candidate.

Business is beginning to hum all over the country. The railroads are placing large orders with the mills and the enormous wheat crop is beginning to move. Stockings are low in all large merchandising establishments and the fall business will be heavy.

If your choice for United States Senator is to be made the target in November for a lot of political feudists and boasters who are strong enough to defeat him, why would it not be better to nominate another man who can win, and thus rob his enemies of the satisfaction of ending his career.

Governor McCreary is the only candidate for United States Senator who may be classed as an Eastern Kentucky man. His home is at Richmond, where the Eastern Kentucky State Normal School is located. The others are all from Western Kentucky, where Senator Ollie James lives.

No man should ask for a nomination who has antagonized and estranged factions enough to make it impossible for him to carry the party banner to victory. It is not fair to the party. Gov. McCreary never fails to win when nominated. It is conceded that he is the only candidate in the race who can get the full vote of the party.

Just as Democratic leaders in the Senate thought the Administration anti-trust programme had been perfected and made ready for launching, the bill to regulate railroad securities struck a snag in the opposition of Louis D. Brandeis and George Rubies, who claimed the Government would be placed in the attitude of guaranteeing the issuance of securities.

State Senator Nim Coborn, of Olive Hill, Carter county, one of the leading Democrats and merchants in Eastern Kentucky, was a visitor in Louisville recently. Senator Coborn in commenting on the political situation in his section said that if there was a Democrat in Eastern Kentucky who did not favor the nomination of Senator Johnson N. Camden for the short term he had not heard of him. He said there was no doubt about Camden sweeping Eastern Kentucky. For the long term senatorial seat Senator Coborn is supporting Gov. McCreary.



W. J. FIELDS.

The above likeness is that of Congressman W. J. Fields, of Carter county, who is seeking to be re-nominated by the Democrats of this district. He has made an excellent record, and his colleagues speak of him in the highest terms. He is a sober, upright Christian gentleman who attends strictly to business all the time. He asks for the votes of all Democrats in the primary on August 1st.

In order to win, a Democratic candidate for a high office in Kentucky must get practically all the Democratic votes, or enough Republican votes to make up for the loss. What Democrat in Lawrence county believes the party can afford to depend upon Republican votes to elect our United States Senator next November? The prospects are that the Republican nominee will be a man entirely satisfactory to that party, and it is unreasonable to suppose that he will not get the solid Republican vote. Nominate McCreary and we will not have any such problems to worry about.

The office of United States Senator is the highest in the gift of the people of any State. The people should select the best qualified man possible. Experience and integrity make the best equipment. The more experience a man has had, the better he is qualified.

There is not a man in the United States who is more competent than Governor McCreary. He has been all along the line and knows how to meet in the right way every condition that arises.

He is one of the few old time statesmen, such as have made history in the United States. McCreary is always found on the right side of every question.

Because he is the only candidate before the people who possesses the ripe age, experience, dignity, wisdom and trained ability requisite for so high and honorable position.

Because his remarkable career, the pride of all Democrats and of all true Kentuckians, demands to be crowned with the final victory to round it out to a proper completion.

LAWRENCE COUNTY TEACHERS INSTITUTE.

Proceedings as Reported by the Secretary of the Body.

The Lawrence County Institute convened July 13th with Prof. J. A. Sharon, of Newport, instructor. The meeting was called to order by Supt. Ekers. Devotional by Bro. Plummer, of the M. E. Church. Welcome address by Bro. Copley, of Baptist Church Response by Isaac Cunningham.

Election of officers: Dock Jordan, Vice President; Elizabeth Lester, Secretary. Short talk by Superintendent on regulations of week's work, followed by address of Instructor on "Ends of Education." Then the work was taken up as prescribed in syllabus.

Reading in first grade, the main point being the "word method" as child already knows sentence and words are unchanged.

In the afternoon spelling and social life as regards teacher in community while teaching, were discussed with great enthusiasm and benefit to all. The question of Sewing and Cooking was discussed, the decision being that these subjects must be taught in public schools at present largely through reading and in the home, the teacher being leader. Mr. Burke, of Newport, recited some poems from "Hurns," which were appreciated and instructive.

TUESDAY—Mr. Sparks gave an extensive talk on newly adopted books. Discussion of First and Second Year Arithmetic and Home Geography. The teaching of any subject must be done through self-activity of child. "Learn new in terms of old." G. W. Castle, Forest Warden.

Claims Clerk in Auditing Department. Guard at Penitentiary.

Also, there are two other positions which may come to this county within the next two or three months. Nearly ten thousand dollars a year is coming into our county from these appointments.

Every Democrat in Lawrence county should vote for him on this account, if for no other reason. There is scarcely another county in the State which has been given as many appointments as Lawrence now has. If we do not show our appreciation of such generous treatment, how do we hope to get anything in the future from any administration? Democrats should stand together as one family in supporting a Governor who thus favors our county.

Nine Reasons Why the Mountaineer Is For McCreary For Senator.

(Morehead Mountaineer.)

1. Because it means the party's certain triumph in the final election.

2. Because he has had the experience which insures efficient service.

3. Because he has responded always when his party called for his services, whether it accorded with his own plans and desires or not.

4. Because he was a Confederate soldier and a Confederate officer, and we cannot honor such too often when they have ever since been good, useful, patriotic citizens.

5. Because he is one of the few public men who have preserved an unblemished character. To repudiate such men influences our youths to dis-honor, while to uphold such men en-

Prices For a Quick Clean-up

THE TIME HAS COME FOR A QUICK CLEAN-UP OF ALL SUMMER WEARABLES—THERE IS PLENTY OF TIME YET TO WEAR THESE HOT WEATHER CLOTHES WHICH REALLY MAKES THIS SALE DOUBLY ATTRACTIVE.

THERE IS NOT AN ITEM IN THIS ENTIRE OFFERING, THAT IS OTHER THAN A MOST EXCELLENT VALUE AND IN SOME THE QUANTITIES ARE VERY LIMITED WE WOULD ADVISE AN EARLY SELECTION.

VALUES WORTH WHILE IN KIMONOS AND DRESSING SACQUES.

In our lawn, Swiss and voile dressing sacques and kimonos we offer a most excellent assortment of styles and colors. This is another vacation need and priced to your advantage.

50c values39c
75c values49c
\$1.00 values69c
\$1.50 values95c
\$2.00 values	\$1.00
\$2.50 values	\$1.25
\$3.50 values	\$1.75
\$4.00 values	\$2.00

SILK KIMONOS AND TEA GOWNS.

Our display of silk kimonos and tea gowns is representative of the season's best models—soft pretty colors, dainty lace and ribbon trimmings, just the kind that will appeal to your tastes for beauty.

\$3.50 values	\$2.95
\$5.00 values	\$3.95
\$7.50 values	\$5.95
\$10.00 values	\$7.45
\$12.50 to \$20.00 Values at \$9.75	

WOMEN'S WASH SUITS AT \$5.00.

There are only 15 of these wool suits, yet the very one you want may be in the lot. There are values up to \$35.00, with your choice for only.....\$5.00

WOMEN'S WASH SUITS AT \$5.00.

The number is limited in these, too, yet they represent the season's most desirable styles and materials at values up to \$20.00, for only.....\$5.00

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WASH SKIRTS.

Pique, Ratines and Linens Very
Specially Priced.

\$1.00 values85c
\$2.00 values	\$1.45
\$3.00 values	\$2.45
\$4.00 values	\$2.95
\$5.00 values	\$3.95
\$7.50 values	\$5.95
\$10.00 values	\$7.45
\$12.00 values	\$9.75

WOMEN'S WOOL AND SILK COATS AT ONE-HALF PRICE.

This is really an opportunity you should grasp—the styles are good, the weight just right for the cool evenings wherever you spend your vacation and for early fall wear. There is a representative assortment of models, colors and sizes, priced regularly from \$10.00 to \$27.50 at justONE-HALF.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES ATTRACTIVELY PRICED.

These specially priced dresses should interest you, mothers, they are of the daintiest sort, made up in the styles that delight the eyes of the little girl. There are styles and materials that will make dandy dresses for them to start the new school year.

WHITE DRESSES FROM 2 to 6 and 6 to 14 YEARS ARE PRICED

50c values nt.....	.45c
\$1.00 values nt.....	.85c
\$1.50 values nt.....	\$1.25
\$2.50 values nt.....	\$1.95
\$3.50 values nt.....	\$2.95
\$5.00 values nt.....	\$3.95
\$7.50 values nt.....	\$5.95
\$10.00 values nt.....	\$7.45
\$12.00 values nt.....	\$9.75

WASH DRESSES VERY INTERESTINGLY PRICED.

We offer one lot of women's and misses' wash dresses made of Tango crepe, ratine, and canvas cloth, in white and colors. Values in this assortment up to \$8.00, for only\$2.45

A Most Excellent Assortment of Lingaria Dresses.

very co-operative spirit was manifested. The enrollment of trustees was quite large. This is one indication of better schools.

FRIDAY—Talk by Supt. emphasized the idea of having daily opening exercises and adopted songs for all schools. A motion was made to adopt four songs—"America", "My Old Kentucky Home", "Old Black Joe" and "Home, Sweet Home." Points of School Law explained by Supt. Discussion of Civics by Prof. Sharon, and History by Prof. Lester.

FRIDAY Afternoon—The following officers were elected to conduct Teachers' Association:

Gallup—Elizabeth Lester, Presl; Don Belcher, Sec.

Blaine—S. W. Burton, Pres.; Fred Steele, Sec.

Fallsburg—Hence Vanhorn, Pres.; Add Seeks, Sec.

The dates to be determined later by Supt. and officers. It was decided to give the teachers two days time to attend the School Fair which will be held in connection with the County Fair, if they bring exhibits or as many as ten pupils. Resolutions read and adopted as read. Mrs. Kennison gave a short talk on sale of Red Cross Seal.

The talk on kidney pills were procured at the Louisa Drug Store and they gave me the first relief I had received. After using this remedy, I enjoyed better health and entire freedom from kidney trouble. I have been well since. I am glad to confirm the endorsement I gave Doan's Kidney Pills several years ago.

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Pigk had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. Armstrong, of Grayson, was here this week to see Brakeman Linnion, who was so severely injured three weeks ago at Tunnel Sliding.

cheer.

The week's work was closed with

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Friday, July 24, 1914.

Refrigerators at Snyder's. tf-6-12

Fresh line of palut at Snyder's.

Nice lawn seats for sale at Snyder's.

Mrs. A. J. Garred entertained the Flinch Club last week.

Croquet sets at Snyder Hardware Company's. tf-6-12

HATS! HATS! AT your Justice's Store. 4-17

Miss Elizabeth Lester has taken charge as principal of the Gallop public school.

Montello J. S. Hatcher has been appointed postmaster at Pinson Fork, Pike county.

For Fire Insurance in an Old Line Company see G. R. Burgess at the Louisa National Bank. tf-3-6

LOST:—Ited hour pig with black spots. Weights 30 to 40 lbs. Lost about July 1st. WALTER CLAYTON, Louisa, Ky.

Miss Nora Simmons and Miss Goldie Blyington have taken charge of the schools at Clifford and Saltwater, respectively.

The friends of Mr. James W. Shannon are sorry to know that he does not seem to be any better. His condition is very serious.

Claude Blair, an employee of the Lobsco Bakery, lost the end of the little finger of his left hand in one of the machines at the plant one day last week.

The Civil Service Commission will hold an examination for postoffice clerks and letter carriers for Catlettsburg, which will be held in that city August 8th.

You will find the most complete and up-to-date line of new summer goods and best prices that has ever been offered to the people of this vicinity, now on display at JUSTICE'S STORE, near depot. tf-3-18

G. A. Nash, formerly of Louisa, was here Wednesday. He will go to Louisville August 1st to accept a position as manager of the shoe business in a large department store.

Dana O'Neal, of this city, will be a clerk in the Louisa postoffice when Mr. Dixon assumes charge. He is now behind the cabinet, getting "the hang of the schoolhouse."

Quite a number of Louisians "enjoyed" a ride to Danville last Monday night. Among any one of the party will tell you what a real lovely time they expected to have.

On Wednesday last Dr. L. H. York, York, assisted by Dr. Bromley, operated on Mrs. Martha McClure for dropsy. A large quantity of fluid was removed and she feels much better.

The John M. Sagraves Co., of Huntington, W. Va., are exclusive agents in twenty-six counties for the WHITE Sewing Machines. Their operating expenses are derived from the Stove and Range business, and they will make interesting propositions on Sewing Machines. 2t-7-24

Bids are being asked for to pave the street to the bridge in the east end of Paintsville. It is the hope of the town board to have this street paved before bad weather. The street leaving from Link Row's place to the city limits in the west end of Paintsville and the third street will also be paved.—Paintsville Herald.

Eddy Collins, aged 35 years, was drowned last Friday in the river a short distance above Paintsville. Collins went to the river for a bucket of water and by some means fell into the river. He was subject to fits and it is supposed that while in one of these fits he fell into the river.—Paintsville Herald.

TO SHEEP RAISERS.
To all who are interested in breeding and growing good sheep, I have several good young rams for sale, suitable for breeding purposes. Write or call on me. C. C. FLANERY, Webville, Ky. 2t-7-31

We want our customers to know how it is possible for us to sell Sewing Machines at a lower price than regular Sewing Machine agents. Our operating expenses are derived from our general line of Stoves and Ranges and Household goods. We carry a large stock of the famous WHITE SEWING MACHINES as a side line. You will not find better machines than the WHITE. Write for our special prices and terms.

THE JOHN M. SAGRAVES CO.
HUNTINGTON, W. VA.

RED MEN'S BANQUET.

Cohota Tribe No. 150 of the Redmen celebrated their annual feast of corn and wine on Sunday night last. Buck moon has many chivalrous occasions for them, and this tribe came out in godly numbers. The newly elected sachem, H. C. Sullivan, gave them a timely and encouraging speech which was kindly received and cheered. W. T. Cain installed the officers in an efficient and pleasing manner. J. B. McClure made an excellent talk as our new prophet, and Bro. Melroy Copley made an enthusiastic speech along the line of keeping our orphan children home with their mother, etc.

We had a nice time together in the closing festivities, enjoying cream, ice, cakes, etc. We all enjoyed the occasion to the fullest. W. W. YOUNG.

ATTENTION, DEMOCRATS.

Webville, Ky., July 21.
I want to remind the Democrats, of Lawrence county of the candidacy of Congressman Fields. He deserves re-election. His experience is worth much. A new man can do nothing like Fields back to Connington whom are nearly every State in the Union.

PERSONAL WHISTLES PLACED UNDER BAN BY C. & O.

C. & O. employees have been notified that all personal property on engines such as whistles, etc., must be removed and hereafter an engineer will not be able to have his personal whistle.

The company, in a bulletin posted at the C. & O. offices and yard rooms declared that the action was rendered necessary because of the fact that a suit was entered against the company a short time ago at Paintsville by an engineer, who claimed that someone had stolen his whistle from his engine. Although the engineers hate to part company with their little personal properties that individualized their engines, they have begun to comply with the order and within a day or so all of the little personal belongings of train employees now attached to the trains, will be discarded.

RESOLUTIONS.

We the committee on resolutions submit the following:

1. We approve of the time and place of holding this institute.

2. That we extend our profound thanks to our Supt. J. H. Elkers for the fair and impartial manner in which he has conducted the school interests of the county since his induction into office, and we feel that his administration will be fraught with much good for the rural schools of our county. And we, also, feel that his administration makes the return to more sane principles of education in the rural schools.

3. We approve of the able manner in which Prof. Sharpen has conducted this institute and cheerfully recommend him as an Institute Instructor of ability and skill; and heartily endorse the sound and efficient work he has placed before the teachers of our institute.

4. We favor a higher standard of education and the consolidation of schools wherever practicable.

5. That we approve the county high school as already established, and appeal to each teacher to furnish at least one pupil for this work the coming year.

6. That we approve of the uniform school book law passed by the last legislature.

7. That we favor the teaching of Agriculture, Domestic Science and Manual Training in the homes through the school, so far as is wise and practicable.

8. That we thank the Rev. C. H. Plummer for the able and efficient manner in which he conducted the music and devotional exercises.

9. That we thank Miss Virgie Hale for the able manner in which she rendered instrumental music.

10. That we thank Prof. John Burk for his recitations in entertaining the teachers.

11. That we thank the good people of Louisa for their hospitality and encouragement and courtesy.

W. M. BYINGTON
ISAAC CUNNINGHAM,
DON C. BELCHER.

ILLITERACY IN THE STATE.

The Kentucky Illiteracy Commission has been giving out some statements in regard to the number of illiterates in the various counties. In some instances this has been resented by school officials, who are somewhat disposed to question the figures.

The census of 1910 showed the number of illiterates in every county in the State. There is no reason to doubt that the census figures were correct and they probably are being used by the Illiteracy Commission. There may have been some reduction in the number of illiterates since the Federal census was taken, but this is doubtful.

There is a considerable influx of foreign population in the counties of Eastern Kentucky and much of this immigration is illiterate.

There has been reduction in some localities undoubtedly. This is true of Rowan county and some other counties where special efforts have been directed to that end. Illiteracy could be practically wiped out in a comparatively short time if it were possible to enlist every county actively in the campaign for its elimination.

There is nothing to be gained by debating the question as to whether the number of illiterates in any certain county is a hundred or a thousand.

Whatever the number it is too large and the time that is wasted in discussion will be put to better use.

It is known to all who are wise familiar with the situation that there is too much illiteracy in Kentucky; that the State ranks low educationally as compared with the great majority of States of the Union. The disgrace of this condition lies not so much in the fact that the illiteracy exists as in the indifference with which it is tolerated.

The Federal census of 1910 showed distinct educational gain, if we can make a better showing in 1920 there will be cause for congratulation.—Courier Journal.

KENTUCKY COKE PRODUCTION.

Coke is manufactured in Kentucky from coal mined in both the eastern and western parts of the State, but although the coals of eastern counties are in large part among the high-grade coking coals of the Appalachian field, most of the coke, until the last two years, has been made in the western district, which is part of the Illinois-Indiana field. Since the recent extensive coal-mining developments in the Elkhorn district of Pike and Harlan counties, however, coke ovens have been built and the principal coking activities have shifted to the eastern part of the State, and Kentucky is now assuming some importance as a coke-manufacturing State. The production has increased from less than 50,000 tons in 1909 to 191,555 tons in 1912 and to 317,984 tons in 1913. During 1913 a plant of 54 Semet-Solvay by-product ovens and 50 new beehive ovens were constructed, and by a coincidence 104 ovens were abandoned, so that the total number in existence at the close of 1913 was the same (104) as the close of 1912.

DROWNED IN OHIO RIVER.

Vanceburg, Ky., July 20.—Miss Daisy Chalkley, 18 years old, of Carr's Station, was drowned Sunday. She was the daughter of Roger Chalkley, one of the oldest engineers in point of service on the Cincinnati division of the C. & O. railway. Miss Chalkley, with a party of friends, was bathing in the Ohio river at a landing near her father's farm. The body was recovered.

SWIFT SILVER MINE AGAIN "DISCOVERED."

Lexington, Ky., July 11.—The mystery surrounding the location of the famous Swift silver mine, of Eastern Kentucky, which has been diligently sought during the last 100 years by prospectors and adventurers and which has been reported as having been discovered in a score of counties in the Southeastern Kentucky mountains at various times, only to prove hoax, has, it is believed, at last been solved by the recent find of silver on the land of Miss LuLu Derrickson, of this city, and her brother, John H. Derrickson, of Jackson, situated near Beattyville, Lee County, Ky., together with relics of John Swift, the reputed owner, which go to prove that the original Swift mine may have been at this particular spot.

The evidence submitted by the Derricksons to prove their claim is arousing much interest among the people of that section as well as mining experts at the State University in this city. John Derrickson is a well-known lumberman, who has for some time been engaged in prospecting for timber in the Eastern Kentucky mountains. Recently while examining a tract of timber on the upper Kentucky river in Lee county he was attracted by glittering nuggets on the banks of a small stream which wended its way through the surrounding woods. Examining them more closely he was convinced that they contained both lead and silver.

The ground around was literally honey-combed with the shiny ore and in looking about him to discover the extent of the deposits he discovered in the nearby cliff a cavern. Entering this he was surprised to find fragments of the metal, and further evidence of where someone had been in the cave. There were remains of burnt logs, so old as to be almost rotten, fragments of tools, a melting pot and a human skull, while carved in the rock wall of the cavern was the name Mundy, a man who is now known to have been interested with John Swift in the working of his mysterious silver mine.

His Interest Aroused.

Mr. Derrickson had of course heard of the Swift silver mine in his prospecting tours through the Eastern Kentucky mountains, and his interest was now deeply aroused by the discoveries he had made.

On leaving the cavern, however, and making further explorations in the vicinity he was gratified to make another find, which confirmed his suspicion that he had actually stumbled on the site of the long-lost Swift silver mine. This convincing proof was in the shape of an inscription on a rock near the entrance of the cavern, which evidently had been carved many years before and which time had almost covered up and obliterated with its age-old black grime common on rocky surfaces exposed to the elements. This inscription was nothing more nor less than the name of John Swift, the reputed owner of the famous mine, and near it the name of Mundy, his "Man Friday." Underneath these names was the date, also carved in the solid rock, 1812, showing that it has been more than 100 years since Swift had placed his mark on the spot where it is believed he procured the precious ore which has made him famous as a plutocrat of pioneer days in Kentucky.

After making these discoveries Mr. Derrickson decided to have the ore found on the site assayed, and some of it was brought to this city and turned over to the mineral experts at the College of Mines, State University, for analysis. Examination of these specimens shows that a large per cent of the ore is lead, but that it contains a sufficient quantity of silver to justify the reopening of the mine and of working it, as was done by John Swift and his associates.

PURCHASES THE LAND.

Without disclosing to anybody his discovery, or without intimating to anyone that he thought he had at last found the famous Swift silver mine, Mr. Derrickson interested his sister in the find and later they purchased the land.

Misses Zada Turman and Lucy Ross, of Buchanan, attended the Sunday School convention and were guests of Miss Flora Ferguson.

Mrs. T. J. Snyder and daughter, Mrs. Carrie Snyder Burns, are in Springfield, Ohio, called there by the serious illness of Mrs. A. C. McClure.

R. A. Bickel, of Huntington, was in Louisville Wednesday. He and Mrs. Bickel have just returned from an automobile trip through Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Songer and daughter, Miss Chatelle, of Ashland, came Saturday to visit relatives here and in this vicinity. They returned home Monday.

PERSONAL MENTION.

A. J. Loure, of Huntington, was here Saturday.

Dr. Marcam, of Torchlight, was in Louisa Wednesday.

Dr. W. A. Rice, of Fallsburg, was here on Monday.

Dr. Gilbert, of Portsmouth, was in Louisa this week.

Mrs. C. T. York has returned from a visit in Paintsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Haws visited in Ashland Sunday.

John Norton has returned from a visit to Prestoneburg.

Mrs. J. H. Steiner, of Ludlow, is visiting Mrs. A. C. Ferrell.

Elliott Arnett, of Spaulding, W. Va., was in Louisa this week.

Leslie Hill, of Charleston, W. Va., is visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. Nathan Day and Miss Nola McClure left Thursday for Mt. Sterling.

R. L. Vinson went to Cincinnati last Friday and returned the following day.

Miss Sallie Cheek, of Logan, W. Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. McClure.

Dr. C. B. Walter made a professional trip to Whitehouse Saturday, returning Monday.

Mrs. R. L. Vinson and nephew are visiting her sister, Mrs. Morris, at Edinburg, Ind.

J. B. McClure and son, Andrew, went to Cincinnati last week and remained a few days.

Miss Garnett Faulkner, of Catlettsburg, was the week-end guest of Miss Nona Conley.

Miss Edith Marcum accompanied Mrs. R. L. Vinson to Edinburg, Ind., last week.

Mrs. E. A. Gordon, who has been visiting Mrs. Albert Murray, has returned to Huntington.

Mr. C. D. Clarke, of Patney, W. Va., is the guest of his relative, Mrs. Sammie Ferrell Clarke.

Mrs. D. C. Spencer and daughter, Dorothy, are visiting relatives at Buffalo, Johnson county.

Misses Eulah Comley and Hester Ward returned to Paintsville Tuesday after a visit to Mrs. J. H. Preston.

Mrs. Frank Freese left Monday for Cannel City, accompanied by her grandchildren, Sam, Mary and Morton Freese.

Ellijah B. Brown, the blind musician and piano tuner of Henrietta, was in Louisa Tuesday and called at the NEWS office.

Mrs. S. A. Ferrell and sister, Miss Helen McCoy, of Eugene, W. Va., were the guests of the family of Dr. Ira Wellman Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Peters, of Fort Gay, have returned from Arizona, where for several years they had been employed in the U. S. Indian service.

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FIFTY YEARS AGO.

Fifty years ago Saturday, July 18, 1864, President Lincoln issued a call for 500,000 additional volunteers to continue the war.

The call came as a dash of cold water to the hopes of the Union men in the Northern States. General Grant had fought his way from the Rapidan to Petersburg after a series of bloody battles that weakened the Union army to the extent of nearly 100,000 men, and hope had been running high that the end of the war was near. The call for such an immense body of new troops was interpreted by many as meaning that both the President and General Grant despaired of breaking through the Confederate defenses at Petersburg without a much larger army and a greater sacrifice of life.

Friends of Mr. Lincoln at Washington and elsewhere deplored the necessity of the call and feared that it would have bad effects upon the Presidential campaign. The three or four weeks that followed made up one of the most discouraging periods of the whole war to Union men, for volunteers came in very slowly, but the tension lessened with General Sherman's successes in the South.

In the next issue of the NEWS will appear the display ad of The John M. Sagraves Co., Huntington, W. Va., calling attention to their advertising campaign which is to be conducted in the store of Blankenship & Davis, near the C. & O. depot, Louisa, for one week only, beginning August 3rd. During this demonstration people will have an opportunity to see the very best Range made, and Mr. Sagraves will personally conduct this demonstration. A "Never Burn" potato baker and a number of useful souvenirs will be given free to anyone who will see the Range demonstrated. The main purpose of the demonstration is to advertise this Range. Remember that you do not have to buy the Range in order to get the free souvenirs, however, if you purchase a Range during the demonstration you get a \$12.00 set of high grade Aluminum ware free. Watch this paper for the advertisement next week.

(adv. lt.)

JUST TO CELEBRATE

My Removal Into the Commodious Burgess Building, and also to Reduce My Stock of Summer Goods I am handing out Some Real Bargains in all Lines.

**WEST VIRGINIA
ITEMS OF NEWS.**

Coal Mining Accidents for June.
Charleston, W. Va., July 15.—The records in the office of Earl A. Henry, Chief of the Department of Mines, show that during the month of June there were 41 fatal accidents in the coal mines of West Virginia. For the six months, ending June 30, 1914, there were 270 fatalities but it will be recalled that 180 of these occurred in the disaster at Eccles, in April. This would leave 190 fatalities with the mines running under normal conditions.

Requisition is Made.
Charleston, W. Va., July 16.—Governor H. D. Hatfield has made requisition on Governor Walsh, of Massachusetts, for the return to Huntington of Lawrence Robinson and Joseph Dudley, held by the Boston authorities in connection with the slaying of Police Inspector Marton.

Robinson and Dudley are alleged to be the men who held up the jeweler store of H. J. Hornick at Huntington last March 21, and escaped with a tray of diamonds valued at \$14,000. The Huntington authorities say some of the jewels have been found in possession of the men.

Prohibition Officer Orders Prosecution.

Charleston, W. Va., July 17.—Fred O. Blue, Commissioner of Prohibition, today ordered all prosecuting attorneys in West Virginia to bring action against liquor dealers who ship intoxicants into the State in defiance of the law which prohibits solicitation of liquor orders through circulars or by personal representatives.

Large shipments of liquor have been received in West Virginia since the prohibitory amendment became operative, carrying companies having been organized in some border towns. It is alleged, who deliver orders secured by dealers residing outside the State.


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**SPLENDID ADDRESS
BY REV. B. M. KEITH**

Delivered to the Graduating Class of
K. N. C. Last Thursday.

The following is an address delivered by Rev. B. M. Keith to the graduating class of the High School Department of the Kentucky Normal College when he presented the diplomas Thursday evening, July 16, 1914:

"Take Hold, Hang On, and Hump."

Young woman and young men of the graduating class of the High School Department of the Kentucky Normal College: It gives me great pleasure on behalf of the faculty of this school, to present to you to-night your diplomas, which represent to you months of hard study in order to complete the course. I wish to congratulate you on your success thus far and hope you may continue your pursuit of knowledge in higher institutions of learning and that you may prepare yourselves for leaders in your professions.

As you go forth from this school seeking further development and better equipment I think I could not bring to you a more helpful message or better advice than to impress upon your minds the motto of one who lived some years ago: "Take hold, hang on, and hump."

"Take hold." If a young man succeeds from the highest viewpoint now it is necessary for him to make a venture. He must have a purpose in the world—he must take hold of something. Some men have no education now because there were no public schools when they were young, but far too many have practically no education at all because in their boyhood days they would not go to school and if they were compelled to go they would not study. Such have no profession and no business whatever now because they made no preparation for such at the proper time, and if a good business should be thrust upon them they could not take care of it. They have no home because they have never had energy sufficient to secure means enough to own one. They have never gotten anywhere because they have never started anywhere. Success here in this section of our own state, as well as elsewhere, demands a struggle. God is not so good to us as He is to the inhabitants of the South Seas. They can lie on their backs in the shade of the trees and the breadfruit will drop into their mouths, but here man must comply with the old injunction, "In the sweat of thy face shall thou eat bread." Many men are idle to-day because they have never been bold enough to make a venture at success. Burton said, "Idleness is the bane of body and mind, the nurse of naughtiness, the chief mother of all mischief, one of the seven deadly sins, the devil's cushion and his pillow and chief repositor."

No generation was ever born amid more inspiring conditions and under circumstances that were more conducive to greatness than the one in which you live. Some of the most wonderful chapters in the history of our nation are being written now. Epoch making events are coming to pass almost each day, and from the sign of the times it is difficult to guess just where we will be twenty-five years hence. This section of our own State is changing rapidly. The material resources are being developed as never before. Capitalists from different parts of the United States are coming this way and making investments. This valley is not only rich in coal and oil, but it is destined to be a greater agricultural section in the future than in the past, because we have as good soil and as good climate for producing some things as you will find in the world. You do not know what is before you, but you should find your place, "take hold" and stand nobly. One of the great needs in this valley is men and women of vision as leaders. The great need is for trained, well-equipped leaders in the various professions. Such leaders can secure a good compensation financially. You young people who stand before me here to-night may be such leaders if you will make the necessary preparation. It may be necessary for some of you to go to the field of agriculture, others to the mines, others to the toll of the mechanic, others to the weary round of the lawyer or the physician, others to the hustling life of the business man, others to the work of the school room, and possibly others to the high places of honor and distinction in national life. You may be leaders in your professions if you use your opportunities well now. "Take hold" to-day. Begin a work that has a principle in it that may live and bear fruit. As one has said, "All that you touch turns to gold." Let us plan to make full reports on all items.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.
Sunday School at 9:00 a. m. Make a special effort to be present Sunday. Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning Subject: "The Christian's Supply House." Evening: "Christ's Standard of Discipleship." Junior League at 2:30 p. m. Senior League at 6:30 p. m. Mrs. H. C. Stullian leader.

Young People's Missionary Society will meet with Miss Chastell Sullivan next Saturday at 2:30 p. m. The Juniors with Miss Elizabeth Yates at 2:00 p. m.

Just a little more than one month until the session of the Annual Conference. Let us plan to make full reports on all items.

B. M. KEITH, Pastor.

ing the young men to put forth a little more effort to succeed because they are entering the professions and doing just as skilled work at many things as the men. Many modern inventions in the way of machinery are being used instead of men. "Not made with hands" is a very common sign to-day. When Bruce, the hero of Baunochburn, died his heart was extracted and encased in a silver casket and entrusted to Sir James Douglass to be carried to Jerusalem for burial. Douglass was killed fighting the Moors; but before he fell, he took the silver casket from around his neck, and threw it at the enemy saying, "And thou brave heart of Bruce, go first in fight as thou wast want, and Douglas will follow thee and die." It takes struggles to produce great masters, and the greater the difficulty the more glory in surmounting it. It took the French Revolution to produce Napoleon, the crisis with England to develop the strength of the thirteen colonies, and it takes storms and tempests to develop a good pilot. And that is most worthy in a man he must work out for himself. Charron said, "Wounds and hardships provoke our courage, and when our fortunes are at the lowest, our wits and minds are commonly at the best." If you do not have the greatest success at once do not become discouraged but "hold on" until you have given yourself a thorough test. A great bar of steel eight feet in length and weighing more than eight hundred pounds was suspended by a small chain. Nearly a common size bottle-cork was suspended by a small thread. The object of the two was to prove that the weight of the cork hitting against the bar of steel would finally set it in motion. It seemed impossible, but the test was made. The cork swung against it again and again for at least ten minutes before there was any motion to the bar, but after about thirty minutes the bar was swinging very perceptibly. A young girl was once taking music lessons. Her teacher had her sing her piece again and again. He often became impatient with her and said, "You do not sing it properly, and you had us as well quit for you will never make a singer anyway." The little girl did not become discouraged but practiced harder and harder from day to day, from week to week, and from month to month. One day she was to sing before five thousand people. She sang until she seemed to carry them up in the clouds of enchantment, over seas of melody, into an ecstasy of delight, until the people wept with emotion. This little girl was Lillian Nordica and she succeeded by "holding on."

"You may often think that hard Is your lot,
Thou with mortal wounds you're scarred
When you're not;
But remember when you doubt
What's ahead,
That you're never down and out
Till you're dead.
When fate thumps you on the nose
With a whack,
Don't you whimper at her blows;
Hit her back!
Grit your teeth and 'go the route'
Till she's fled,
For you're never down and out
Till you're dead.
Pull and wealth and all the rest
Help a bit;
But the man who stands the test
Has the grit.
Keep your heart and courage stout
As you tread,
For you're never down and out
Till you're dead!"

"Hump." Bend your back to the task. It has been my idea from childhood that I could do anything I wanted to do if I wanted to do it just bad enough. I do not mean to say that I have succeeded in all of my undertakings, but I have accomplished some things I would not have accomplished if I had not kept that idea continually before me. So in seeking your place in the world put aside all considerations of ease or a soft snap. That level of life is crowded now, but there is plenty of room at the top for those who are willing to climb. If David Livingstone had been seeking for a place of ease he would never have gone to Africa and have given so many of the good years of his life to those people. If the missionaries who have done so much for the nations of the east, had been seeking a life of ease they would have remained with their friends in their palatial homes in the United States. Labor at something is a necessity for every man to develop his talents, and every man ought to be occupied in the most skilled labor possible so that he may be conscious at the last of having done his best. Indomitable energy may triumph over every difficulty. A few years ago while at work upon the designs for the new French bank-notes the famous engraver Florals was suddenly stricken by paralysis. He could not speak, and his right side was completely paralyzed. His right hand that had made him famous was rendered useless forever. Did he give up in despair, and sit down and depend upon others to support him? No. He began at once to train his left hand to do the work his right hand had formerly done. He struggled with that awkward, untrained member for hours, days and months, before it would obey his will, but finally with his left hand he could ply the tools with as much skill as he could formerly with his right.

So your life is before you, what will you do with it? May each of you, "Take hold, hang on, and hump" until you become broad, deep, forceful and full-grown men.

"If you cannot on the ocean
Sail among the swiftest fleet,
Rocking on the highest billows,
Laughing at the storms you meet,
You can stand among the sailors,
Anchored yet within the bay;
You can lend a hand to help them,
As they launch their boats away.
If you are too weak to journey
Up the mountain, steep and high,
You can stand within the valley,
While the multitudes go by;
You can chant in happy measure,
As they slowly pass along;
Then they may forget the singer,
They will not forget the song.
Do not, then, stand idly waiting
For some greater work to do;
Fortune is a lazy goddess—
She will never come to you,
Go and fall in any vineyard,
Do not fear to do or dare;
If you want a field of labor,
You can find it anywhere."

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DRUGGIST,

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KENTUCKY PRESS COMMENTS ON SENATOR J. N. CAMDEN

The New Campaigning.

Johnson N. Camden, who is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the short term Senatorship, will not come to Kentucky to prosecute his campaign. Mr. Camden gives as his reason for not coming that:

"I want to be of such aid to the President as I can. He believes, and I agree with him heartily, that Congress should remain here until the trust bills are passed and then adjourn. I am a part of Congress, and, therefore, it is my official duty, as well as my party service, to stay in Washington. It may be that I can get to Kentucky within a day or two of the primaries, but that remains to be seen and is dependent entirely on the progress of legislation."

If the country could be given "one wish" with the assurance that it had only to be expressed to be gratified, there is no question that it would take the form of an earnest petition that Congress get through with its trust legislation with the least possible delay and adjourn. The desire for motion and adjournment is nowhere stronger than in Kentucky. In staying at his post and doing his full share for the enactment of the legislation, without which there is no possibility of adjournment, Mr. Camden has adopted a method of campaigning which should be none the less effective in Kentucky because of its novelty.

Woodrow Wilson has made good as President because he has permitted nothing to interfere with the work he was sent to Washington to do. Mr. Camden, in following suit, is playing the kind of politics that the people in Kentucky have long been waiting for and that they are not likely to disapprove when the time comes for them to return judgment. — Louisville Messenger.

Statesman and Candidates.

Johnson N. Camden, now Senator from Kentucky, is given a practical demonstration of how a man of energy and resourcefulness can be a statesman and a candidate for office at the same time, says a special from Washington.

He is running for the short Senatorial term, extending from the November election until March 4 next, and has thirty-six days in which to make the race. His opponents are Gen. Bennett H. Young, Commander-in-Chief of the Confederate Veterans, and former Representative David H. Smith.

In this three-cornered contest Senator Camden will remain in Washington and will direct his candidacy at long distance. Judge W. O. Davis, of Versailles, his lawyer and political secretary, will have charge of the Washington bureaus.

Arrangements are being made to send out 200,000 letters to the electors of Kentucky. In this epistle the Senator will argue that he is the most available man to serve the State of Kentucky for the short term by reason of the fact that there is some continuity in the office of Senator.

Along with this epistolary campaign there will be conferences from time to time. One of these was in progress when Allie Young, of Morehead, Ky., was here reporting on developments. The word he brought to the Senator was that the outlook is rosy for his nomination. — Mayfield Independent.

Highly Praised by Wilson.

Senator Camden's statement as to the relation of business to the legislative program received the high praise of President Wilson when the Kentucky senator called at the White House for the first time Monday.—Campbellsville News-Journal.

Plans to Aid Farmers.

Senator Camden intends to make a specialty of matters pertaining to the farmers, and Saturday he and his secretary, Judge Davis, had a long conference at the Department of Agriculture with Secretary Houston, the head of that department, looking to co-operation in the future.—Mt. Sterling Advocate.

Eminently Fitted for Place.

Senator Camden, who aspires to the short term in the United States Senate, is eminently fitted for the position. A fine business man and a gentleman whose character is perfect, Kentucky would be honored by having him as her representative in the National law-making body.—Mayfield Messenger.

PENSIONS FOR AUGUST WILL EXCEED \$100,000

Frankfort, Ky., July 15.—Talk of \$30 hay this winter has impelled Commissioner of Agriculture J. W. Newman to send out a bulletin to farmers, suggesting that they plant millet, cowpeas, sorghum or corn broadcast in unused fields and so raise a forage crop for feeding their stock this winter. Corn and sorghum planted at this time, he said, will be developed by fall sufficiently to make good feed, and cowpeas and millet can be grown at this late season.

"At the present death rate among the veterans," said Commissioner Stone, "I believe we have reached the high-water mark and the deaths will practically keep pace with the additions to the pension list from now on."

The act of 1914, amending the pension law to permit Confederate soldiers who took the oath of allegiance during the war under duress and in fear of death, to secure pensions, has raised difficult questions, and Commissioner Stone is requiring proof that the applicant took the oath under such circumstances.

"To do otherwise would be unfair to those veterans who fought it out," he said. "They must bring in proof to support their claims. To allow a veteran who took the oath of allegiance during the war to come in here and, in his own words, affidavit that he very belatedly would be killed or die of starvation or disease when he took the oath, while those who fought throughout the war or served their time in prison are compelled to get up proof, would give those who took the oath a great advantage."

He Fills Requirements.

It hardly seems necessary for us to say anything in behalf of our fellow-countryman, Hon. Johnson N. Camden, who is a candidate for the short Senatorial term created by the death of W. O. Bradley. Mr. Camden, we believe, measures up to the requirements of such a place, and if elected will faithfully and conscientiously serve the best interests of all the people. Surely Woodford County Democrats will not fail to show their appreciation of Mr. Camden at the August primary.—Midway Clipper.

Making Race on High Plane.

Holding that he cannot leave Washington without neglecting his official duties, Senator Camden will not come to Kentucky to participate in the primary campaign in which he is a candidate for the short term Democratic nomination for United States Senator. In this step, Mr. Camden again shows his good sense. Should he come to Kentucky, the political wire pullers would do their utmost to get him mixed up in the other races. Mr. Camden is making his race on a high plane, and in a manner which meets the commendation of the people.—Danville Messenger.

When Camden Was Sworn In.

One minute before the Senate gavel fell, Johnson N. Camden, private citizen, came in from the cloakroom, escorted not alone by his colleague, but by ex-Senator Jo Blackburn, who years ago had been a colleague and warm personal friend of parent Camden, and whose home is at Versailles, where the new Senator has long made his abiding place. There was a touch of sentiment in Senator Blackburn's escort of his old friend's son, now his fellow townsmen, and it was appreciated by other Senators, especially those who had known the Hon. Joseph C. S. in days of his eminence and popularity in the chamber. There was not dramatic flourish in the induction of the new statesman, but no one on floor or gallery missed the sentimental touch of the Blackburn presence, and his fervent congratulation when the short ceremony ended.—"Itch" in Danville Advocate.

No Swapping of Horses.

Our young friend, Warren Fisher, of the Carlisle Mercury, who is the youngest editor in the State that we know of, and one of the best, has written tersely his views of Colonel Bennett H. Young's aspirations for empty honors. We publish his editorial in full:

"We have always had, and will always have, the greatest admiration and affection for those men who fought for a cause, which, though it was futile, was none the less bravely upheld by them and as bravely surrendered when the God of Battles raged against them. For this reason, if for no other, we regret to see so honorable and so honored a veteran of this host of valiant gentlemen as is Colonel Bennett H. Young, enter the arena of party politics at a time so inopportune. That he will receive many votes is probable; that he will be elected as Senator from Kentucky is, to say the least, improbable. Senator Camden, whose appointment to serve out the unexpired term of Senator Bradley met with the universal approval of the party, has already entered upon the duties of the term for which he was appointed, he will have familiarized himself with the duties and requirements of the office, and be in position to serve to the best advantage the people of his State. That he is an exceedingly wealthy man has been used in campaign speeches by one of his opponents to prejudice his case. Though his wealth, we feel, may not be urged as a barrier, nor particularly as a qualification, yet the very fact that mere emoluments of office mean little to a man of such abundant means, itself removes a handicap of self-interest, which, though wrongfully imposed, is nevertheless placed upon every candidate, subconsciously, if you will, by the average voter. Mr. Camden, we believe, desires chiefly to be of service to his State. True, the honor of the office means much to him—and it is very natural and proper that it should; but he has shown, in numerous instances, that he has the welfare of the Commonwealth at heart and that his service is wholly free from self-interest. In this case, as in many others, Kentuckians, we believe, will recognize the wisdom of the old adage about 'swapping' horses when one is crossing a stream."—Exchange.

MR. NEWMAN SUGGESTS CATCH FORAGE CROPS.

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"Hay is only half a crop in Kentucky. Much of the clover was frozen out last winter, and the drought got the timothy to a great extent. Many farmers are setting out a second planting of potatoes, which crop was entirely lost in many sections.

RECEIVER FOR OLYMPIAN SPRINGS HOTEL COMPANY.

Olympian Springs, Ky., July 15.—Circuit Judge William A. Young late this afternoon appointed Manager Wallace Howe receiver of the Olympian Hotel Company and the Mutual Realty & Leasing Company, of Nashville. The bond of Howe was fixed at \$10,000 for the hotel company and \$2,000 for the leasing company property. The attorney argued the case from 2 until 6 o'clock. The decision of Judge Young will be appealed to the Federal courts.

AGRICULTURE IS CAMDEN'S HOBBY

Washington, D. C., July 20.—Senator J. N. Camden, being one of the few farmers in Congress, is specializing his activities toward matters of greatest interest to tillers of the soil in Kentucky. He has paid several visits to the Department of Agriculture and has discussed with the Secretary and the various officials there ways and means for improving general agricultural conditions in the State.

Senator Camden believes that the coordination of State research work with that being conducted by the Department of Agriculture should be the first step taken, and said today that progress along that line is already evident.

Discussing his purposes, he said:

Kentucky to be Farming Stats.

"This is the first opportunity I have had where I could go into certain details with any degree of leisure with the Agricultural Department. You know, I have always felt that Kentucky will be a great farming State, and the character of her agriculture will determine the character and development of her people. Some one has well said that a people cannot be greater or stronger than their soil.

I gave the barbecue last summer to emphasize a fact that our farmers did not, in my opinion, fully realize, and that is in mining, manufacturing and all productive enterprises; that the basic form of wealth is in itself about one-half, or 50 per cent, of the problem involved—the other 50 per cent, is in organization, which really means cooperation. Granting that our soil would grade No. 1 in fertility—which in many cases it will not do—but by intelligent and industrious methods it can be made so. As we now stand with our imperfect system of soil education, organization and co-operation, we farmers are only realizing about half of what we are entitled to from our efforts and from our farms. It was a beginning of a campaign among our farmers of education and co-operation. I foresaw then that the wonderful mine of information and vitally valuable facts that our Federal Government had in store, would not be beneficial to our own farmers unless they were prepared to avail themselves of it collectively. It was necessary to organize, to establish team work among themselves; we must trust one another if we are to prosper as a people and advance the solidarity of Kentucky interests.

Great Progress is Made.

"To my mind the first thing to do is to co-ordinate the research work at the State University and Experimental Station at Lexington and the two normal schools, Eastern and Western, with the Federal Department of Agriculture, thereby increasing efficiency by preventing the loss in labor and time. I am delighted to say that steps are being taken to bring that about. But research work, either by Government or State, would be of little value to the farmer unless some way were found to teach him the things discovered by scientists in the experiment stations, and hence we have the extension and demonstration work.

"I was told that the department had a great work along this line and that it is co-ordinating its activity with the subject of the organization of farmers and of the communities generally for improvement of agricultural, social and economic conditions. On the working out of these intricate problems every force now in the field has a part and every institution engaged in this line of work desires earnest and cordial support. With the united effort on the part of the rural church, the rural schools and Normal colleges, the college of Agriculture, the Experiment Station and the United States Department of Agriculture, much good can be accomplished. We have undeveloped resources and agricultural opportunities in Kentucky as yet untouched. We can maintain the highest type of civilization only by having a successful and prosperous agriculture. One of the most beneficial influences that I see is the union of the interests of the Federal Department of Agriculture with our College of Agriculture at the State University, with the Normal Schools and other educational activities of the State to give to the farmers and their families throughout the State of Kentucky that degree of service which they ought to have. At the present time there are twenty-two county agents, with an additional thirteen women county agents in girls' club work. I understand the plan to be to increase this number in the future and to take up a specific work for the extension work which will place within the reach of every family in the State the services and instruction of trained experts, that they may be able to utilize the knowledge already in existence."

STATE PURCHASES MACHINES FOR GRINDING LIMESTONE.

Having employed the \$5,000 appropriation for farm demonstrations the last two years in showing farmers how to build concrete silos, increasing the number from 300 to 2,053 in the State, Commissioner of Agriculture J. W. Newman is now turning his attention to the question of producing cheap lime for fertilizing the farms.

He announced recently that he has closed a deal with the manufacturers of limestone grinders for two machines which the manufacturers will take back at the original cost price, being satisfied with the advantage accruing from the demonstration of the machine. The machines with an expert in charge will be furnished free to the farmers, who must provide the limestone and engine and employ such labor as is necessary.

The limekilns can be ground at a cost of 50 cents the ton this way. Commissioner Newman said, and set up on the farmer's place will grind out 15 to 20 tons the day.

It requires four tons to the acre to properly treat the soil. The need for lime on the farms of Kentucky, he declared, is critical.

In many places they cannot grow red clover, alfalfa, soy beans or cowpeas, all of which produce nitrogen in the soil, an element necessary for other crops. Nitrogen is the most expensive chemical element the farmer has to introduce in his soil and a crop of red clover, Commissioner Newman said, will produce \$25 worth of nitrogen to the acre.

To get the cheloid nitrogen the lime must first be introduced, which is almost prohibitive, evening.

their appreciation of the opportunities of country life, and fitting them to be more useful citizens in a successful agricultural community. It is the province of the normal schools to train teachers who have these board visions of the rural school as a most important center of influence in the upbuilding of every community. I hope the time will come when these teachers will be instructed so that they may give an education in country schools as good as the education of the city school, but which has the country aspect rather, than the city aspect. A good many of our country schools are little town schools in the country. The schools are beginning more and more to teach the practical things of life. Boys' corn clubs and girls' canning and other clubs are beginning to get hold of the rural school problem and focus the attention of the teachers and the children upon the practical and valuable things which may be done as a part of the education of that school. I am very happy to say that I was told that in this broad extension work in agriculture in the State of Kentucky which we are just now entering into, the State Normal Schools are vitally interested; and that district agents who are representatives of this united extension work with its headquarters at the State University, College of Agriculture, are located at the Normal Schools there to play a part in the co-ordinating of all this activity on the part of the farmers and their families. I was given to understand that the State Department of Agriculture and other agricultural activities within the State are all joining in this general movement. Much good should result from united efforts.

One of these machines will be set up on a farm near Lexington and will work through the Bluegrass and to the east. The machine has been tried out at the State Experiment Station.

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cents per ton miles to haul it from the railroad to the farm and it costs five cents per ton mile freight on the railroad, besides the original cost of the lime. How the demand has grown is shown by the fact that in the last three years the number of concerns grinding limestone in Kentucky has increased from three to 150. Yet they cannot meet the demand, and the cost is preventing many farmers investing in it.

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FALLSBURG.

Joseph Smith, of Mossy Bottom, passed through Louisa en route to Ashland on Saturday last, being joined at Fullers by his wife, Mrs. Oiga E. Smith, youngest daughter of W. M. Savage, of this place.

It will be remembered these two were married at Louisa on July 6th by Rev. Hewlett, of that place.

They returned to Fallsburg Sunday, spending the day in driving to Morgans Creek and vicinity.

APPLE BLOSSOM.

BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE.

A HOME THAT WILL PLEASE THE WHOLE FAMILY.

If you are looking for that kind of a home where life will be a pleasure, the days of drudgery past, come to Sciotoville, Ohio. It is a pleasure to farm on smooth land; it is a pleasure to drive on good roads; it is a pleasure to have the best of schools eight months in the year, good churches and Sunday Schools handy, and it is a real pleasure to haul off a load of produce and get the cash for it at the best market in the Ohio valley from Cincinnati to Pittsburgh. I have a fine list of farms for sale—the very choice farms in the country, and at prices that are reasonable—some with the best of terms. You need not be out of a home and pay rent if you can pay a small payment down then the farm will pay for itself. Land produces well here; you can raise any crop here that can be raised in Kentucky. I have some of the best stock farms in Southern Ohio. Fine Blue Grass farms at reasonable prices. Some good poultry farms for sale. Also dairy farms. If you want a farm write me to meet you at Sciotoville. I do not live in town, so be sure and write me four days before you start. Come on No. 16 on N. & W. Always. I will meet you any day except Sunday. Don't delay; I have been gathering up the best farms of the country all winter long. You will be out nothing after you get here. If you write me I will do all I can to help you. Then if you buy I will help you get a team and proper farming tools. There is always some teams placed in my hands for sale: cows, chickens and everything you need. I have special arrangements with a wholesale furniture store that if you buy a farm from me you get all you need for the house at wholesale prices and save the middleman's profit. You see I am looking after your interests as well as looking after selling the farms. A number of good locations for stores, blacksmith shops, grist mills, some with good trades already established. It will pay you to buy a farm from me that looks after all your interests as well as his own. If you have money to invest buy a farm and rent it. Land is going up every day. I have many calls for farms by men that want to rent. Get in line and see me before you buy. I have the best lot of farms ever was offered for sale in Scioto county. Write at once. Don't delay! Remember I have horses and rigs and will meet you rain or shine. Address all letters to

FRED B. LYNCH,

R. D. 1, Box 50. Sciotoville, Ohio.

FARM FOR SALE.

200 acre farm at mouth Cherokee, Lawrence county, Ky., known as the old Graham farm; 200 acres under fence, 100 acres timber, enough to keep farm fenced for 100 years; between 50 and 70 acres bottom land that partly overflows from back waters and very rich; yields from 60 to 80 bushels corn to the acre. A 60x80 foot barn, good 1-room cottage, porch 12 feet wide, two-thirds way around house, 8 miles from railroad at Webberville. Daily mail by hack. Apply to TIP MOORE at Louisa, Ky., or to see farm go to tenant.

FARMS FOR SALE.

Farm, 18 acres bottom land, 7-room dwelling house, on river, railroad and county road, close to church, school and stores. Plenty fruit trees. Good garden.

Farm, 65 acres, mostly in grass; house and barn, young orchard; three miles from Louisa. \$1500.00.

Farm, 50

Boys' Wash Suits at Half Price

If your boy needs them now or will need them before the summer is over, this is the time to get them

Fade-proof, rip-proof and almost wear-proof.
Made in all suitable materials and including the very newest style—the Pixie.

\$5.00 WASH SUITS, now.....	\$2.50
\$4.00 WASH SUITS, now.....	\$2.00
\$3.00 WASH SUITS, now.....	\$1.50
\$2.00 WASH SUITS, now.....	\$1.00
\$1.50 WASH SUITS, now.....	75c

Men's Straw Hats at Half Price

In watching the hats on the street, we see many that are ready for the scrap heap. While these Straws, Bangkoks and a few Panamas are selling for half price, you'd do well to brighten up with a new one.

Men's Wash Ties

Wide-end and 2-inch square-end styles in stripes cross bars and plain colors, regular 50c values
3 for \$1.00

Men's and Young Men's Suits

Most every man, when he comes to his vacation days finds that he can hardly get along without a new suit. While we are selling

\$35 SUITS for....\$25 \$32 SUITS for....\$25
\$28 SUITS for....\$20 \$22 SUITS for....\$14
and \$20 SUITS for.....\$14

don't you think that a good time to get it? Think it over and come in this week.

Northcott-Tate-Hagy Co.

"Better Clothes"

926-928 4th Ave., Huntington, W. Va.

PIKE COUNTY NEWS

BOY SLAIN BY COUSIN.

John Belcher was shot to death at Shelby Gap last Friday, and his cousins, George Belcher, a dummy, Barton and Harrison Belcher are charged with the crime. The victim was the 20-year-old son of George W. Belcher, a farmer at Shelby Gap.

According to the reports of the tragedy reaching here, John Belcher, the victim, had had a quarrel and first fight with his alleged slayers the day before. John was at work near the C. C. Greer store the afternoon of last Friday, it is said, when the three cousins came along. George fired upon him, according to the story, and being unarmed he tried to get behind the corner of building, but a deadly fire was poured in upon him before he could reach shelter. He died 35 minutes later from his injuries, and Harrison and Barton Belcher were placed under arrest, but George, who is charged with the shooting, made his escape.

Harrison and Barton were brought to Pikeville and admitted to jail in the sum of \$10,000 each.

SUCCESSFUL INSTITUTE.

Pike county school authorities have adopted the new idea of centralizing for the location and building of its rural schools in the future. Formerly it was the practice to cut large school districts in two and build several small school houses within easy reach of everyone, with a view to convenience and to encourage attendance. As this plan only succeeded in increasing the school expense and producing a very poor class of work, the plan has been discarded in favor of consolidating several small districts and building one large school house with several rooms, so that a corps of teachers may be employed. This will afford opportunity for good teachers to receive promotion, where formerly there were no such opportunities in the smaller schools. Prof. T. J. Coates, State Supervisor of Rural Schools, who was institute instructor, strongly urged this idea upon the teachers. "Experience has taught this lesson," said he, "that it is not distance from school that keeps children in the country from attending, but the sole reason for small attendance in most every case has been found to be that there has been nothing in those schools to stimulate their interest." This is undoubtedly the key to the situation, and the centralized schools of the future may solve the problem of attendance, afford opportunities for promotion for good teachers, and also opportunities for less capable teachers to improve by occupying assistants' positions in these centralized schools, where they could receive the aid of their superiors.

County Supt. M. F. Campbell pledged himself to this proposition for the future, and the teachers also gave their promise that they would aid him, and to more requests for the division

of large school districts should be asked.

Pike Banner County.

During the course of an address by Mr. Campbell Friday morning he said that Pike has the largest number of students, outside of the large cities, of any county in Kentucky, the number being 13,480; that nearly 200 teachers are employed, besides those in schools not under the supervision of the county. The authorities hope to have one consolidated school in each educational division of the county in four years.

Educational League To Meet.

The Big Sandy Educational Improvement League, which has a large membership covering the counties of Letcher, Pike, Floyd, Martin, Johnson, Lawrence and Boyd, will meet in annual session at Inez, Martin county, October 2 and 3. Every teacher in these counties that can do so should be present.

STOLEN GOODS RECOVERED.

About \$300 worth of goods stolen from the U. S. postoffice and a store at Melvin, Ky., when they were burned by thieves one year ago, were discovered by revenue officers where they had been hidden away on Beaver Creek, in Floyd county, last Thursday. Following the find ten warrants of arrest were issued by U. S. Commissioner Gray for well-to-do citizens of Beaver Creek.

The goods were taken from the post office and store before the buildings were fired. \$200 worth of stamps were stolen. In all the loss totaled about \$4,000.

TWO CHILDREN HURT BY FALL.
Two infant children received severe injuries by falling here last Saturday. The little son of Deputy Sheriff Leek Coleman fell from the porch at its home on Elm street and sustained a fracture of the skull just over the left ear.

The infant son of Mrs. Laura Smith, who also lives near the Coleman home, fell down a flight of steps and broke the left arm. Both children are improving and will recover.

CHURCH SOLD AT AUCTION.

The First Methodist Episcopal Church of Pikeville was sold at public auction for debt by Master Commissioner F. T. Hatchett, of the Pike Circuit Court, last Monday afternoon, the creditors being Peck-Williamson & Co. and others. The magnificent structure which cost \$14,000 to build, and was appraised at \$12,000, was bid in by J. D. Caudill, a Pikeville merchant, for the sum of \$4,000, and it is his intention to allow the church services to go on as usual, hoping that private ultimately pay the debt.

Council is hastily preparing to install the free mail delivery service as authorized by Congress. It will soon become effective.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Bales left Tues-

day to pay the sum it cost; District Superintendent Ackman had the promise of outside help sufficient to meet the payment of the entire cost of the building; but part of the local fund and part of the foreign fund failed to materialize, and the creditors instituted suits which resulted in the sale of the magnificent pile.

The pastor, Rev. Samuel Linge, formerly of Michigan, has moved with his family to Wilmore, Ky., where he is fitting another appointment. They left Tuesday of this week.

NEW ADDITION TO BE OPENED SOON.

A new addition to Pikeville will be added on the western side of the city within a very few days, and city engineer Amick is now engaged in surveying a street to run through the property from the David Francis hollow, where it joins with Kentucky avenue, around the foot of the cemetery to join Elm street near the Presbyterian dormitory, the Derrillians, on the hill. The property will be opened from the rock pit, just back of the Francis home, around by the cemetery, to Elm street. Pikeville is growing very fast.

HALLS FREED.

Sol. John, Hunt and Dave Hall, with negro Tom Riddle, have been held (the latter two without bail) at Clintwood, Va., charged with having ambushed revenue officers Ramey, Stone and Potter. Sol. John and Hunt were released recently by the grand jury failing to indict. But Dave Hall and negro Tom Riddle were given each 12 years for the killing of Ramey, of which they were convicted, and six additional years for the killing of Stone.

These men have been taken to the State prison at Richmond, where they already began the service of their sentences, and the other three were allowed to go free.

WEIGHT AND MEASURE ORDINANCE.

At the Monday night session of the Council a weight-and-measure ordinance was enacted for the regulation of the sale of coal, ice, etc., within the city limits. This act was modeled on the statute, and copies the statutory penalty, which is four dollars for each time a mustomer is sold a short weight or measure of these articles. This applies to merchants in the sale of their goods and country produce, in buying as well as selling, the same as it does to the coal and ice companies doing business in Pikeville.

An ordinance was also passed prohibiting the operation of motor vehicles for profit unless the same are provided with a city license. This license was fixed at \$25.00. All motors and carriages operated strictly for private use have not been made the subject of license. These two enactments become effective at once.

GOV. McCREADY HERE TODAY.

Governor James B. McCreary is due to arrive by the morning train to-day and address the people of Pikeville in the circuit court room at 1 o'clock this afternoon in the interest of his race for the United States Senate. A committee has been organized to receive the distinguished guest and he will be met at the railway station upon his arrival and given a hearty welcome to our city. While he is engaged in a three-cornered fight, and each of his opponents have a strong following in Pike county, Gov. McCreary is also locally supported by a large number of Pike county people, and all have united to welcome him.

He will deliver his address on the campaign issues at the court house at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Pikeville and Paintsville teams played a match game of ball at the baseball park here last Saturday, score 6 to 20 in favor of Pikeville.

J. F. Prindible, of Keyser, was here last Saturday on his way up the river.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Campbell and Mrs. B. Elliott left Pikeville last Thursday for Landor, Wyoming, which will be their future home. Mr. Elliott preceded his wife several weeks ago.

A small fire broke out in the M. C. Justice house on Scott avenue last Thursday. The damage was slight, and the blaze was extinguished before the fire department arrived.

Logan Peery and Asa Hackney arrived here last Thursday evening after a two weeks sojourn in the West. They spent part of the time in St. Louis.

Attorney Durand Tackitt, of Virg. Ky., was here part of last week.

Joe Nelkirk, who has been working in New York City for several months, is home for a vacation.

Dr. Z. A. Thompson has been a sufferer from dysentery during the past two weeks, but is now well again.

Mrs. D. T. Keel and daughters, Kathryn and Helena, are visiting relatives at Yenger, on Shelby Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCullough and two bright little boys who have been living at Ironton during the past year, are preparing to move to Pikeville, which will be their future home. Before moving here, however, they will spend a month with relatives in the country near Lynchburg, Va.

Mrs. Mary Hager, of Paintsville, was here stopping at a local hotel last Saturday.

Mrs. Plum Campbell has been very sick of cold during the past week.

Uncle Harry Sword has been critically ill during the past two weeks at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Staton. It is feared he may not recover.

Roy Culbertson, who has been employed at Jenkins during the past few weeks, enroute to Pikeville last Friday for a visit to his parents.

B. H. Robbinette and A. J. Ward, of Louisa, were in this city on business last Wednesday.

Attorney Lewis Harvey, of Jenkins, was here Monday.

C. C. Childress, of Clintwood, Va., was a business caller to Pikeville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Riley, of Paintsville, were in this city shopping last Monday.

Mrs. W. T. Griffith is a victim of typhoid fever. She had not been well for some time before she was finally taken with fever.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Bales left Tues-

day morning for Honaker, Va., where they will be the guests of relatives for a few weeks.

Mrs. D. T. Keel and daughters, Helen and Kathryn, returned Tuesday from Shelby Creek, where they were the guests of Mrs. Keel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Damron, since last Friday. James Salisbury, attorney of Prestonsburg, was in Pikeville on professional business Tuesday.

Ernest Walker, of Tulsa, Okla., who has been the guest of friends in Pikeville for several days, returned to his home in the West last Tuesday, leaving Pikeville by the afternoon train.

L. L. Stone went to Prestonsburg and Paintsville and returned last Monday.

Attorney J. J. Moore returned Tuesday from a visit of several days to his old home at Hopkinsville, Ky.

L. M. Irwin attended a meeting of railway telegraphers at Ashland Saturday. Mr. Irwin is station agent at Pikeville.

DOINGS OF JOHNSON COUNTY PEOPLE.

News From Paintsville and the Surrounding Country.

LETCHER COUNTY AND WHITESBURG.

What is Happening in this Rich Coal Territory of Kentucky.

Whitesburg, Ky., July 22.—Work is soon to start on the construction of a new telephone system in and around Whitesburg.—The Sandlick Telephone Co. of which James Combs is manager. The switchboard and necessary material has arrived and everything is practically in readiness to start the work. Connection is to be made at Jenkins. When the lines are completed connection will be made with points in Perry and Knott counties, giving a most important connection. It is said they will have connection with the Postal Telegraph lines here. Telephone lines are getting to be almost a perfect network in the county.

N. Starkey, of The Eastern Kentucky Home Telephone Co., Pikeville, this week purchased the Elzy Franklin telephone line from this city through the Colly section to Thornton, and Mr. Starkey will at once re-build the lines and improve the service.

Mr. Starkey owns and operates The Whitesburg Telephone Co. here and is giving splendid service.

It is said that The Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Co. will begin work at once on the building of their lines from Hazard into this city and so on into Fleming, Hindman, Hempill, and McRoberts into Jenkins forming a very important long distance connection. The connection was made into Hazard some time ago.

At Sergeant, a few days ago, Miss Nannie Webb, aged 20, was married to Mr. C. C. Beavers, aged 35, of the Coe Lumher Co., Mayking. The wedding came after a brief courtship. Only a few invited friends witnessed the ceremony. It was a surprise. This was the third marriage of the bride. They will go to Virginia to reside.

Arch A. Cornett, hustling real estate and coal man of Daisy, Perry county, has been a business visitor here for a few days, interested in the great coal fields of Letcher county. He says there is unusual industrial activity throughout Perry county's coal field.

J. L. McCormick, of Big Stone Gap, Va., and H. M. Collier, of Eolia, Ky., have been here making arrangements,

it is said, for the early beginning of a big development on the company's extensive coal and timber holdings on Colly Creek, five miles above here. A branch of the Lexington & Eastern will be built onto the development work.

Adams & Sullivan will this week complete their grade contract on the Bottom Branch spur of the L. & E. into the development work of The Elk-horn Mining Corporation in the Bonnes Fork coal fields. Already the company has started coal shipments out from Bottom Branch. There is continued great development work going on throughout the whole of the big coal fields.

Mrs. Polly Adams Craft, formerly of this county, died after a long illness at Norton, Va., Friday and the remains were brought here and interred Sunday in the old Webb graveyard near Mayking, where the many relatives and friends witnessed the interment. Her death is deeply mourned.

W. B. Webb and R. B. Franklin have taken over The Whitesburg Mountain Eagle here and will run the paper in the future. Webb will be business manager of the paper and will have editorial charge as well.

Crops, especially corn, have been much revived throughout Letcher county since the coming of the copious showers of rains during the past week. The Irish potato crop is a complete failure.

Itain is plentiful and farmers are busy.

Pike county teachers are attending institute this week.

J. W. Alley and sister, Miss Matilda, passed through here en route to Pikeville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stepp have been visiting their mother recently.

B. H. Lowe left for a short visit to the wheat fields.

Mrs. Major McCoy was visiting home folks a few days past.

Mrs. Esther Lowe and little son Lucy have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Alley.

Miss Jennie Hutchinson, who is visiting Miss Pearl Lowe, will return to her home soon.

Mrs. W. G. Combs and little daughter Ruthie have been visiting their grandmother Lowe recently.

Mrs. J. S. Lambert, of Whitepost, is visiting relatives in Wyoming county, W. Va. She was accompanied by her son Dewey.

Clarence Pratt